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In re Patent Application of

ANAND ET AL.

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For: USE OF AURORA KINASE INHIBITORS FOR REDUCING THE RESISTANCE OF  
CANCER CELLS

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December 10, 2007

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

**RESPONSE**

Responsive to the Official Action dated November 5, 2007, the applicants elect the subject matter of the Examiner's Group I (claims 1-10) for further prosecution in the above.

Rejoinder and allowance of any claim defining a method of making and/or using a product defined by an allowable claim, at an appropriate time, are requested.

The applicants further elect, for the purposes of initial search, breast cancer. Search and examination of all of the claimed subject matter are requested in an early and favorable Action.

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Respectfully submitted,

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